

ArizonaSERVES Elder Independence & Kinship Care Action Plan

NEED: Assist older Arizonans remain independent and safely live in their own homes and increase support to kin caregivers.

Start Date	Purpose	Action	Completion Date
8/13/10	Promote outreach & maximize resources	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Team members will engage in discussion about the issue; 2. The team will discuss if there is a tangible resource to provide when speaking to group (such as power point slides, handouts); 3. Team will report outreach efforts to Chuck; 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ongoing 2. 12/8/10 3. Ongoing
Sept 2010	Identify needs and ways to leverage community resources to improve systems of services	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Coordinate a team meeting with subject-matter staff to obtain background on issue and budget impacts; 2. Nicola will draft questions to gauge the inventory of existing organizations; 3. Provide inventory of questions to team for review as possibly website tool; 4. Chuck will extend open invitation to DES staff to provide updated on programs and initiatives; 5. Judith will check on kinship conference as a resource; 6. The team will discuss how to conduct outreach to the organizations; 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 9/22/10 2. 10/14/10 3. 12/8/10 4. 12/8/10 5. 1/12/10 6. Ongoing
3/4/10	Provide recommendations for inclusion on ArizonaSERVES website	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduced website at ArizonaSERVES launch; 2. Team members will review foster care page as example of possible toolkit for this issue; 3. Launch new overview page and toolkit; 4. Members will suggest resources from community organizations who are experts in the field to include on webpage 5. Chuck will identify whether a "register" tool can be added 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 3/4/10 2. 10/22/10 3. 12/17/10 4. Ongoing 5. Ongoing
Oct 2010	Promote service and volunteerism	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The team will discuss how to conduct outreach; 2. Team will develop message to engage faith community 3. Judith will get information from about the Kinship Coalition and any other faith-based contacts; 4. The team will discuss how to collaborate with other events, such as Cityfest; 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 10/14/10 2. 12/17/10 3. 1/12/11 4. Ongoing
Oct 2010	Improve collaborations	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Team will discuss how to find out about events around the state; 2. The team will search for calendar events on community websites that can be linked to issue page; 3. The team will identify and discuss whether to provide support to related community activities 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 10/14/10 2. Ongoing 3. Ongoing